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——Defensoribus istis
Tempus eget.—— VIRG.

THE following Letter, which I received last Week, appears to be written with so much Sincerity, that I cannot help giving it to the Public: Tho' I own the Writer differs from me in Opinion, if he really believes the Authors he mentions to be of any Consequence at all, or to be capable of doing either Good or Harm to any Administration.

To Mr. JOHN TROTT-PLAID.

" *Sir*,

" I AM a plain spoken Man, and of no Party " whatsoever. If this Character (which is a " true one) will recommend me to a Place in your " Paper, you will act like the honest man you " would be thought. The Motive to my Writing " is this: In your Journal of *Saturday* last, you " have made a Discovery of something like an In- " tention of taking into your Pay, one or more of " the three celebrated Writers in the Opposition; " I mean *Old-England*, the *London Evening-Post*, " and the *Fool*. If this Letter should unfortunately " come too late to prevent such an Agreement, it " will be some Satisfaction to me to have done my " Duty; if otherwise, it may possibly be the " Means of preventing much Mischief to these " Realms.

" You must know, it hath always been a Part " of my political Creed, that an Opposition is ne- " cessary. By an Opposition I would be under- " stood to mean just such a one as the Gentlemen " above-mentioned are engaged in; and I have no " Doubt, that the present Ministry have been " hitherto kept within their proper Bounds, from " no other Reason, than their Fears of exasperating " these three great Writers. To speak my opinion " truly, I believe no Opposition hath done less " Harm, or more Good than theirs; especially in " in the Manner they have thought fit to manage " it. Can any Thing be more artful or insinuating " than the Irony of *Old-England*, in perpetually " censuring the only Measures, which ought to be " pursued, and in seeming to recommend, others " which would bring inevitable Shame upon us? " Or again, Can any one be more delicate than the " *Fool*, who has so finely instructed the Lords of " the Admiralty, by advancing a System of Ab- " surdities, which ought carefully to be avoided? " And lastly, Can any Thing be prettier than the " *London-Evening-Post*, who seems every Week to " be abusing People in *Breaks* and *Dashes* for doing " what they never did, and for leaving undone " what they ought not to do? Can any thing be " clearer, than that our present happy Prospect of " Peace, is entirely owing to the Clamours of these " Gentlemen against an unsuccessful War? Or " will any one deny, that their sudden Dislike of " this very Peace, is meant only as an Argument " for War, whenever the Nation shall be justly " provoked to it? Upon the whole, I look upon " these seeming Opposers, to be the best negative " Instructors that any Ministry can possibly have; " and while the latter are careful to avoid what- " ever Measures the former are pleased to advise, " we cannot fail of a just Administration.

" If these Arguments are rightly considered, I " believe, Mr. *Trott-Plaid*, that you will readily " acknowledge such an Opposition ought not to be " bought off; especially as it may admit of an " Opening to others, who possibly may oppose " good Measures in Earnest, and mislead the Ig- " norant. If the Gentlemen are in want, it will " be nobler in you to relieve them, or to propose " some Scheme whereby their Writings may enable " them to live. For my own Part, I should be " pleased to hear that the Government had agreed " to take off a Thousand of their Papers weekly, " or that the few which are now sold, might be " suffered to pass free of the Stamps. In short, " something should be done to encourage these " generous Opposers in their laudable Undertak- " ings; the Manner of doing it must be left to " yourself; and if the Arguments I have here made " Use of should have their proper Effect, I make " no Doubt but you will exert yourself in their " Behalf, and that instead of employing them in " the *Jacobite's Journal*, you will secure Bread " to their own Papers.

I am,
Sir,

Sept. 4th, 1748. *Your most humble Servant.*

T. B.

In Answer to this Correspondent, I am sorry to say that his Letter came too late to prevent me from entering into an Agreement with *Old England*. According to my Proposal of *Saturday* was se'nnight, that Gentleman set out on Foot for the Isle of *Wight*, and sent me from thence a particular Account of the Gentlemen in Plaid. But tho' I found his Intelligence too abusive to be made public, yet as I had given him a conditional Promise, I could not in Honour recede from it: Accordingly I have appointed him to be the Writer of the News in this Paper.—How I have proceeded with the others, their own Letters upon the Occasion will shew; and these I shall lay before my Readers, together with one written by *Old-England*, exactly as I received them.

To the Scribler of the Jacobite Journal.

" *Mr. Ass*,

" I Would have you to know that I am above " any Services you can do me; and so since you " have refused me the first Favour I ever asked " you, you shall find that until when I am about to " think of determining to lay down my own Pa- " per, I shall never desire to undertake yours. I " would have you to know I can write Grammar " as well as any of you; and so the Writer of the " *London Evening Post* knows, or he would not " coat me as often as he does. I would have you " also for to know that I am no *Fool*, tho' I call my- " self so; perhaps other Folks may be more so, " who think themselves wise. I understand Naval " Affairs too; and so you and your Friends shall " know. Therefore declaring that I both despise " and detest you,

I am,
Your Friend and Servant,
The FOOL!

To Mr. TROTT-PLAID, *the J—ck A—s.*

" SIR,

" YOU are a Sc—n—l, and a R——l, and a " V—ll—n to refuse me. The M——y " are a Pack of ———s, and I'll treat them as " they deserve. If you had taken me into your " Paper the Mischief might have been stopt; but " now 'tis all over, and I shall speak my Mind. " The Pr—l—m—ry A—t—cles for the G—n—l " Peace shall be treated in a new Manner in my " next; and you shall find that I can go near to " prove, that the D—e of ———, and the E—l " of ———, and Mr. ———, and a certain Per- " son that shall be nameless, are no better than " S——ls, and that they deserve a G—b—t. All " this might have been prevented, I say; and now " you shall find me as much above your dirty Bu- " siness as I am above yourself; and so

Your Servant,

The LONDON EVENING POST.

To JOHN TROTT PLAID, *Esq;*

" IF I knew how to write civilly, and to make " my Thanks acceptable for the Favour you " have done me, I should set no Bounds to my " Acknowledgments. But the Time is come, " I hope, that I shall be able to shew my Zeal in " a properer Manner, *viz.* by abusing your Ene- " mies. As this will be my principal Pleasure, I " entreat to be set at Work as soon as possible; and " no one shall be readier to acquit himself than,

Honoured Sir,

Your Obliged and most Abusive Servant,

OLD-ENGLAND.

FOREIGN AFFAIRS.

Stockholm, August 27.

THE King is this Day returned from Carelsberg, at present enjoys perfect Health, and confers with his Ministry upon the Affairs of the present Conjuncture. W. E.

Breslau, August 30. The terrible Calamity of the Locusts spreads itself more and more in this Province. On the 25th the grand Troop of these Insects, which was four Hours in passing, took its Flight towards the Town of Brieg, during which Time they darkened the Sun. They appeared like a thick Cloud, which prevented the Town from being seen at a very small Distance. The greatest Part of them settled in the adjacent Meadows and Fields, where every Thing was consumed by them. They covered the Trees in such Manner that no Part of them was seen. Besides, the Desolation which these Insects make, they leave an ugly Stench behind them. It has been found, that in order to drive them away, the Noise of Drums and Hallowing and Shooting have had a good Effect. ib.

Vienna, August 31. At length the famous Affair of the Baron de Trenck has been determined: He is sentenced to a perpetual Imprisonment in the Castle of Spielberg in Moravia. ib.

Dresden, Sept. 1. The Lieutenant who was on Guard when the Accident happened to the Minister of Naples, has been broke by Order of the King. Letters from from Warsaw import, that it was publickly said there, that Col. de la Salle was set at Liberty by Order of the King, his Majesty having disposed the Empress of Russia to consent thereto, upon Condition, that upon his Arrival in France he shall be judged and punished by his Most Christian Majesty. According to the Advices from Bohemia it seems by the Dispositions that are making there, that the Russian Troops will pass the Winter in that Kingdom. ib.

Francfort, Sept. 2. The Magistracy and Burghers of this City have resolved to send a Deputation to Vienna, in order to make fresh Representations for preventing, if it is possible, the Protestants from obtaining Leave to build a Church within the Walls of the City. Prince William of Hesse is perfectly recovered from his late Indisposition, and has begun to take the Diversion of hunting. ib.

Berlin, Sept. 3. The last Letters from Warsaw advise, that if the Project for augmenting the Crown Army takes Effect, Poland will have on Foot 80,000 Infantry, and 60,000 Horse, besides the Arrear Ban. ib.

Hanover, Sept. 3. The King enjoys perfect Health. Her Royal Highness the Princess Consort of Prince Frederick of Hesse will set out this Evening for Cassel. On the 1st an Express arrived from the Low Countries, with Advice, that the Hanoverian Troops which have been employed in the Allied Army there, were going to return into this Electorate. ib.

If, contrary to all Hopes, the Signing of the Definitive Treaty at Aix should be delayed yet some Time longer, his Majesty will celebrate his Birth-day here, having, it is said, determined not to return to London till after every Thing shall be settled. It is assured that the Marriage of his Royal Highness the Duke of Cumberland with the Princess Amelia of Prussia, was concluded before the Departure of his Prussian Majesty for Silesia. ib.

Paris, Sept. 2. There will be a Reform of 37,0000 Men, pursuant to the Convention which was signed at Aix the 2d of last Month, as soon as the Court receives positive Advices of the Russian Troops being arrived upon the Frontiers of Poland. ib.

Amsterdam, Sept. 8. Yesterday was published here a Notification of the Magistracy, whereby the Inhabitants were acquainted that the Prince Stadtholder, by Virtue of the Authority with which the States of Holland and West-Friesland had vested him by their Reso[illegible] cil of Regency of this City: And his Serene Highness received the Thanks of the Regency and Inhabitants for his indefatigable Attention for the Public Welfare; and he is preparing to return immediately to the Hague. ib.

Hague, Sept. 8. Baron Wassenaar, who arrived here a few Days ago from Aix la Chapelle, is gone to Amsterdam to report to the Prince Stadtholder the Affairs of the Congress; from whence his Excellence will return in a short Time to Aix with Count Bentinck, in order to sign the Definitive Treaty of Peace. ib.

From the London Gazette.

Naples, August 13, N. S. A Few Days since the King's Gallies seized, on the Coast of Sicily, a Pirate Barbary Boat with about forty Men on Board, which had greatly infested those Coasts. Last Week the Squadron of Maltese Gallies anchored a second Time at Gaeta, and two of them were detached to Baja, to take on board a hundred Criminals condemned to the Gallies for Life, of whom the King has made a Present to the Grand Master of Malta.

Rome, August 17, N. S. Cardinal Paolucci has resigned into the Hands of the Pope, his Government of the Legation of Ferrara, which has been given to Cardinal Banni. The Pope has ordered 500 Crowns to be given to the Prince Rospiglioli, to be shared amongst the People of Maccarese, his Fief, who secured the Crew of a Barbary Pirate Row Boat, which was lately wrecked upon that Coast.

Florence, August 20, N. S. On the 9th M. La Motta, late Chaplain to the two Companies of the Emperor's Horse-Guards, took Possession of a vacant Canonship in the Cathedral Church of Florence, lately conferred upon him by the Emperor, who has likewise granted him a Pension of 1800 Livres per Ann. Last Week the Regency caused an Edict to be published, forbidding, under severe Penalties, the bringing into Tuscany any Cattle from the Ecclesiastical State and Lombardy, on Account of the Sickness which rages there. Letters by the last Mail from Lombardy mention, that a Body of 4000 Waradins began their March last Week on their Return home, and were to be followed by several Austrian Regiments to Germany. The Austrians have cut down and disposed of the Woods of Colorno, and those of the Neighbouring Hills in the Parmesan. They also remove what Forage they can collect to Mantua, and exact extraordinary Contributions. The Sardinian Troops act in the like Manner at Placentia, and have raised a Contribution of 150,000 Florins in the Dutchy of Modena.

Hague, Sept. 10. N. S. The Prince of Orange is still at Amsterdam, but is expected back in a Day or two. His Highness deposed on Friday last the four reigning Burgomasters, viz. Mess Gerrit Corver, John Six, John Sautin, and Peter Vande Poll; and named in their Stead Mess. Ferdinand Van Collen, Cornelius Trip, William Gideon Deutz, and Gerrard Arnold Hasselaer. Besides this the Prince dismissed the next Day the whole Body of the Vroedschap, or Town Council, and appointed a new one, composed of nineteen Members of the old Vroedschap, who have been restored, and seventeen other new Members. The Princess Dowager of Orange is expected here from Leewarden in a Day or two.

Constantinople, August 7. Since the late Insurrection, in which the Grand Signior was in Danger of being deposed, between 2 and 3000 Persons have been either put to Death, or banished to different Islands in the Archipelago. But scarce was the public Tranquility restored in this City, when we received disagreeable News from Abroad: The King of Arabia, Father-in-law to to the late Achmet Bashaw, Governor of Bagdad, is come at the Head of a numerous Army, to lay Siege to that Place, in Resentment for the Grand Signior's having refused that Government for one of his Cousins, Solyman Bashaw, whom he had recommended to his Highness. Expresses have been sent to different Parts of the Empire to assemble Troops, and form an Army superior to the King of Arabia's Forces. To these untoward Circumstances we must add the Pestilence, which broke out here a Fortnight ago; and within these three Days we felt several Shocks of Earthquake. Though the City is quiet, there remains a great Ferment in the Seraglio, the Effects of which are daily manifested by some Execution or Deposition: the Mufti have been deposed, on Account of his ambitious Conduct during the late Insurrection.

Petersburgh, August 21. Our Ministry were very much surprized to receive a Packet from Paris, containing the Protest of the Pretender's eldest Son. The Displeasure this Piece gave to the Court may easily be conceived, from its Attachments and Affection to Great-Britain.

Genoa, August 17. The Communication between this [illegible], Piedmont, and Lombardy, is again re-established, and Commerce revived as formerly. The Austrian Prisoners, but chiefly the Officers, seem very impatient at their Confinement, as they know not when they are to be released. Tuesday last there sailed by this Port three English Men of War, taking their Rout for Vado, from whence Admiral Byng lately set Sail with eleven Men of War on his Return for England; he was saluted at his Departure by all the Cannon of the Castle of Savona.

They have left in the Mediterranean seven Ships, with Orders for Rear-Admiral Forbes, who is expected there to execute a particular Commission, and then to make the best of his Way for Leghorn and Naples. The three Companies of the Regiment of Africa, who had Orders to embark for Barcelona, have received Counter-Orders; this Regiment, and that of Parma, being destined, with two others, to guard the Dutchies of Parma, Placentia, and Guastalla; and his Catholic Majesty has consigned to the Infant Don Philip, besides the Pay of these Troops, a Million of Piastres, to take Possession of these States. There is Advice from Corsica, that during the Absence of the Commandant of Padualla, who is gone to the Camp of the Allies to confer with some of the Corsican Chiefs, that Post had been given up to the French by the Treachery of one of the Garrison, and that a Body of Corsicans, not far off, had endeavoured to retake it, but were driven back.

Genoa, August 24. They write from Nice, that the Gallies of Spain had received Orders to sail to Antibes, to wait there for the Infant Don Philip, and to bring him from thence to this City, from whence he will go and take Possession of the Dutchies of Parma, Placentia, and Guastalla.

Naples, Aug. 20. There is Advice that a Ship of 30 Guns, bound from hence to Constantinople, having on board an Ambassador from our King, had been attacked in the Archipelago by a Turkish Corsair, whom she fought some Time, and had at last the good Fortune to send the Corsair, Ship and Men, to the Bottom.

Rome, August 24. The Congregation of Propaganda Fide and the General of the Dominicans have received certain Advice, that a Bishop of that Order has suffered Martyrdom for the Faith in China, after having converted his Executioner at the Place of Execution, who suffered Death at the same Time.

Rome, August 24. Saturday last the Pope received from Cardinal Ruffo, in the Name of the whole Sacred College, the Compliments on the Occasion of the Anniversary of his Promotion to the Pontificate. Cardinal Stuart has had conferred on him by his Holiness, in his private Chapel, successively, the Offices of Sub-Deacon, and Deacon, in the Presence of the Chevalier de St. George his Father, and a great Number of Prelates. Cardinal Coscia, who has been absent from this City several Years, having no Intention to return again, has requested of his Holiness to confer on Cardinal Bardi the Office of Protector of S. Roch.

Chamberry, August 28. It is given out here, that the King of Sardinia will shortly marry the Dutchess Dowager of Guastalla; and that his Majesty has resolved to keep on Foot, even in Time of Peace, 50,000 Troops.

Vienna, Sept. 1. Her Imperial Majesty has ratified the Sentence pronounced against Baron Trenck, by which he is condemned to pay a thousand Florins, by Way of Satisfaction, to Anna Maria Gerstenbergerin, a Miller's Daughter whom he had abused; fifteen thousand Florins to the Inhabitants of the Dutchy of Silesia; and all the Costs of this tedious and expensive Suit, which some say will amount to two hundred thousand Florins; besides which he is to forfeit all his Honours, and be imprisoned for Life, with an Allowance of only a Ducat per Day, in the Castle of Spielberg in Moravia. The short History of this extraordinary Person, who has made so much Noise in the World, is this. He is a Native of Sclavonia, and descended from a noble Family, to which he has done no great Honour. At the Age of Sixteen, he was obliged to leave his Country for a Murder, and some other little Crimes of that Sort; upon which he went first into the Polish and then into the Russian Service, where, by his intrepid Courage, he raised himself to the Rank of a Major, which however did not hinder Count Lowendahl from calling him to an Account for some Excesses he had committed, and for which he was sentenced to be cashiered, and that too through Favour; for if Justice had then taken Place, he had lost his Life. Upon his Return into Hungary, he put himself at the Head of a small Body of Men as desperate as himself, and with them did a great Deal of Mischief. Upon the breaking out of the War he obtained a Pardon, and entered into her Imperial Majesty's Service, in which, to do him Justice, he behaved with much Bravery; but after pillaging without Mercy in Silesia, Moravia, Bohemia, and Bavaria, he thought himself at Liberty to treat the Subjects of his Sovereign as he treated her Enemies, and committed such a Variety of Violences as brought Complaints from all Quarters, so that nothing but her Majesty's Clemency could have entitled him to so mild a Sentence as that which he has received. He is said to have amassed, by these Means, a Fortune of better than two Millions.

Aix la Chapelle, Sept. 12. The Arrival of Count du Thiel has not yet answered the Expectation of the Public, with regard to the Signature of the Definitive Treaty: But the Conferences between the Ministers continue to be frequent, and the Court of Vienna seems to conform to what has been regulated with regard to Italy. The Chevalier d'Osforio, the Sardinian Minister at the British Court, is expected here from Hanover. The Return of the Couriers sent to Vienna and Madrid, and of the Plenipotentiaries gone to make Tours several Ways, are impatiently expected; it not being doubted but that, when all these are arrived, the Conferences will be opened for the Signature of the Treaty.

From the London Gazette.

Brussels, Sep. 8. Marshal Saxe is expected to set out the 20th or 25th of this Month from Paris. M. de Seychelles, Intendant of the King's Army in Flanders, is to leave it on the 20th; and his Equipage set out on Friday last. M. de Lowendahl is expected from Paris the 15th or 16th of this Month, to take the Command of this Country, in the room of M. Saxe.

Hague, Sept. 13. The Prince of Orange's Return from Amsterdam has been put off, on Account of some new Demands of the Burghers of that Town. They now require that all the Echevins, and Members of the Oud Raad, or Old Council, should be dismissed; that none of the Officers of the Militia should ever possess any Employment in the Regency; and that a new Council of War should be formed, absolutely independent of the Magistrates. The Deputies of the Burghers have had several Audiences of the Prince on these Points; and his Highness issued on Tuesday Morning, a Proclamation entirely agreeable to their Request. We hear likewise from Amsterdam, that the Prince of Orange intends to erect there a Board of Trade, composed of the most eminent Merchants of that City. The States of Zeland have lately have lately taken a Resolution to continue the Farmers of the public Revenue, as they have not yet found out any Means of replacing the

Funds raiſed thereby. Letters from Languedoc mention, that every Thing was preparing in that Province for the Paſſage of the Spaniſh Troops, as well as for the Reception of thoſe of France, which are to be quartered there. Twelve thouſand of the latter are expected to arrive there ſoon from the Army in Province. We hear that the Count de la Salle, who ſome Time ſince made his Eſcape from Dantzick, was arrived at Paris.

DOMESTIC NEWS.

Saturday.

Yeſterday the Baggage of his Royal Highneſs the Duke of Cumberland, was put on Board the Fubbs Yacht at Greenwich, which is to ſail with all Expedition for Harwich. ib.

And Tomorrow it is expected his Royal Highneſs will ſet out from St. James's for Harwich, in order to embark on board the ſaid Yacht for Holland. ib.

Thurſday was paid off at Woolwich his Majeſty's Ship the Gibraltar; the Men marched two and two to the Pay-Office, and inliſted on Capt. Hyde, their Commander, to head them; and ſhewed the deepeſt Senſe of the mild Treatment they met with while under his Command. ib.

Several Days paſt, the Inhabitants of Stoke Newington have been alarmed at having divers Robberies committed in that Neighbourhood; and as a Gang of very diſorderly Women have been ſeen to frequent King Henry's Wall very lately, Method's are taking to drive them from the Place, in Hopes it will prevent any Robberies there for the future. ib.

Thurſday was brought by Habeas Corpus from Hertford Jail, John Clarke, for robbing a Waggon near Hendon, in Middleſex, of ſeveral Things of Value. ib.

Laſt Wedneſday Afternoon as Mr. French, an Organiſt in Northumberland-Court in the Stand, was waſhing in the Thames, he was unhappily drowned near Queen-Stairs, Somerſet Houſe, in the Preſence of ſeveral Perſons who could give him no Aſſiſtance. ib.

They write from Canterbury, that a Woman going to that Town in a Waggon on Saturday laſt for the Hopping Seaſon, was by a ſudden Jolt flung out, and the Wheels going over her Legs broke one of them, and very much bruiſed the other, but there are Hopes of her doing well.——This Accident, it is ſaid, was chiefly owing to the Avarice of the Waggoner in taking too many Paſſengers. ib.

On Thurſday as a Gentlewoman with a Child was going in a Chaiſe through a Lane near Hemel Hempeſtead in Hertfordſhire, ſhe met with a Waggon, whoſe Driver was a conſiderable Diſtance behind it, and apprehending ſome Danger, ſhe called out to the Fellow to ſtop his Team, but was diſregarded, and there not being room enough to paſs, the Chaiſe was broke down, and the Waggon went over the Gentlewoman's Leg, and maſhed it to Pieces, ſo that it is feared ſhe will not recover; the Wheels alſo went over the Body of the Child, which was killed on the Spot. ib.

Laſt Thurſday a Servant Maid at a Houſe in Bread-ſtreet, being ſent up Stairs to fetch ſome Things out of her Miſtreſs's Chamber, hanged herſelf there. ib.

Monday.

This Morning early his Royal Highneſs the Duke of Cumberland went to Windſor Lodge, and returns Tomorrow Morning, when his Royal Highneſs goes to the Chapel Royal, and afterwards receives Company with the Princeſs Amelia in the Drawing-room, in order to take Leave before his Departure.

We are informed, that the principal Occaſion of his Royal Highneſs's coming, was to conſult the Lords of the Regency, for diſbanding ſome Regiments; and, we hear that Seniority will not be regarded, but thoſe who behaved with the greateſt Gallantry will be kept on foot.

A few Days ago the Lady of the Right Hon. Lord Romney was ſafely delivered of a Son, at his Lordſhip's Seat at the Moat in Kent, to the great Joy of that noble Family.

This Morning a Woman, well dreſſed, flung herſelf into the Canal in St. James's-Part, but, being diſcovered by a Centry, was taken out, and is like to recover.

This Morning about Eight, two Sailors, overladen with Liquor and Money, made their Appearance about St. James's, with ſix lighted Links before them, and two Chairs following, to the Merriment of the Populace, and Benefit of the Publicans.

Late laſt Night, or early this Morning, ſome Rogues attempted to break into the Houſe of William Wiltſhire, an eminent Maſter Taylor, in Johnſon's Court, Fleet-ſtreet: They had taken out ſome Panes of Glaſs in the Kitchin Window, and had, by reaching over their Arm, lifted the Croſs Bar off the Shutters, ſo as they flew open, but, to their great Mortification, were obſtructed in their further Progreſs, by ſome ſtout Iron Bars in the Center of each Window. ——It is ſtrange the Gentlemen, about theſe Courts, will not take Warning from ſuch frequent Robberies and Attempts, when it is in their Power to prevent it. We have once pointed out to them a Method both cheap and practicable.

Extract of a Letter from Goſport, Auguſt 30.

'On Friday laſt a Riot was bred on Portſmouth Common by ſeven Sailors, who aſſaulted and abuſed two 'Officers, who were gathering the Land and Window 'Tax, by knocking them down, and other Abuſes, four 'of whom were apprehend and carried before the Wor-'ſhipful Mayor, and by him committed to the Town 'Goal.

'A few Days ago a Servant of Sir Thomas Ridge's 'was ſtabbed dangerouſly in the Belly, by a Soldier, who 'was quarrelling with the Landlord were he was quar-'tered, to whoſe Aſſiſtance the poor Man went, and met 'with this unhappy Diſaſter.

'Since my laſt the Amazon Man of War arrived at 'Spithead, and is ſailed again from thence; as is like-'wiſe the Jamaica Sloop.

'On Saturday the Ambuſcade Man of War ſailed into 'the Harbour.

'The ſame Day the Officers and Company of the 'Centurion Man of War was paid off, at the Pay-Office 'in the Dock-Yard.

'The ſame Day the Syren Man of War ſailed from 'Spithead, for the Eaſt-Indies.

'The Princeſs Royal Storeſhip came into the Harbour'

Dover, Sept. 2. Wind N. E. Arrived his Majeſty's Ship Prince Frederick, from Portſmouth, and ſailed for the River, Vigilant, Whitwood, ditto; came down and ſailed, Duke of Cumberland, Denham, for Leghorn; Gibralter, Ellis, ditto; Duke of Dedford, Spence, Rochelle; Intbut, Armſtrong, Boſton. Remains his Majeſty's Sloop Scorpion.

Tueſday.

Laſt Sunday at Noon, his Royal Highneſs the Duke of Cumberland arrived at St. James's from Windſor-Lodge; after which there was a great Levee in the Drawing-Room: And about Four o'Clock his Royal Highneſs ſet out on his Return to Windſor Lodge.

It is ſaid the Duke will not ſet out for Flanders till Tomorrow or Thurſday.

Sunday the Right Hon. the Earl of Godolphin came to Town from the Duke of Leeds's Seat, at Mims in Hertfordſhire.

On Saturday Baron Solenthal came to Town from Tunbridge Wells, to his Houſe in Cleveland-Court, St. James's.

On Sunday laſt the Lady of the Right Hon. the Earl of Saliſbury was brought to bed of a Son, at his Lordſhip's Seat at Hatfield in Hertfordſhire.

The ſame Day the Lady of——— Hickman, Eſq; was ſafely delivered of a Daughter at his Houſe in Great Brook-ſtreet near Groſvenor-ſquare.

This Day the Hon. James Hamilton, Eſq; lately appointed Governor of Penſilvania, ſet out for Dover, where he is to embark on board the Loyal Judith, Capt. Cowey, in order to proceed to the ſaid Province.

Mr. Gurnell, lately deceaſed, has left 200 l. to the London Hoſpital, after the Death of his Widow.

It is reported, that the following Gentlemen will be Candidates at the Election of Member of Parliament for the County of Eſſex, in the room of Sir Robert Abdy, Bart. deceaſed, viz. the Right Hon. the Lord Caſtlemain, Sir John Abdy, Bart. (Son of the late Sir Robert) and Sir William Maynard, Bart.

The Court of Directors of the Hon. the Eaſt India-Company have appointed their annual Sale to commence on the 28th Inſtant, when the Bales of Carmenia Wool, with 1558 Bags of Cowries, will be put up.

Saturday laſt the Dead Warrant came to the New Goal, Southwark, for the Execution of James Lloyd, Edward Griffiths, and William Pringe, on Kennington-Common, on Friday next.

On Saturday laſt one Read (who had been committed to the New Goal, Southward, by William Hammond, Eſq; for perſonating one Badger) and fraudulently ſelling Badger's Ticket, as mentioned in this Paper on Saturday, was brought up to be examined, when it did not appear to Mr. Hammond, that Read was ſuborned or adviſed to commit that Piece of Villainy by a certain Publican near St. George's Ghurch, Southwark, or that that Publican was privy to, or knew any thing thereof.

On Saturday Night laſt a Gentlewoman was knock'd down in Bond-ſtreet, by two Street-Robbers, who uſed her in a barbarous Manner; but ſome People coming to her Aſſiſtance, they did not rob her, but made off undiſcovered. ---This happened about Eight o'Clock.

The St. Ann, of 200 Tons, 21 Men, and 4 Guns, with 200 Hogſheads, and 150 Barrels of Sugar, with Coffee, Cotton, and Gingear, from Guardeloup for Bourdeaux, is taken by the Phœnix Privateer, Capt. Martin Bicker, and carried into New-York. The five Prizes brought into the ſaid Province, are ſaid to be worth 50000l. Sterling.

The Connecticut Colony Sloop in America, has taken a French Snow from Cape Francois, as a Flag of Truce for New-York. She had on board three or four Engliſh Priſoners, ninety Hogſheads of Sugar, about one hundred Hogſheads of Meaſſes, and other valuable Effects, and is carried to New London.

The Fortune, Ruſſel, from Londonderry to Dublin, is loſt on the Maiden Rocks; but the People were ſaved.

Wedneſday.

This Morning the Right Hon. the Lord Chancellor came to Town; and at Noon the Lords of the Regency met at the Cockpit, Whitehall, to deliberate on the preſent poſture of Affairs before his Royal Highneſs the Duke's Departure.

This Day at Noon his Royal Highneſs the Duke came from Windſor Lodge to St. James's.

On Sunday Se'ennight, and not before, died, at his Seat in Combermere in Cheſhire, Sir Robert Saliſbury Cotton, Bart. who is ſucceeded in his Title and Eſtate by his Brother, now Sir Lynch Cotton.

Yeſterday Sir Charles Wyndham, Bart. ſet out from his Houſe in Argyle Buildings, for his Seat at Witham in Somerſetſhire.

A few Days ago died, at is Houſe in Vine-ſtreet, Mr. Blakeſley, an eminent Bricklayer, who had acquired a large Fortune, with a very fair Character.

The King has been pleaſed to appoint Richard Myddelton, Eiq; of Chirk Caſtle in Denbighſhire, to be Lord Lieutenant of the County of Denbigh.

Sunday Morning died, in the 64th Year of his Age, at his Chambers in Gray's-Inn, Thomas Dyer, Eſq;

On Tueſday the 30th of Auguſt began the Races at Litchfield, of which Sir Walter Bagot, and Mr. Crew were Stewards. They were attended by a great Number of Noblemen and Gentlemen: There being no one Houſe capable of receiving ſo much Company, the Gentlemen agreed to dine in a Garden. The firſt Day there were two hundred and twenty, and at the laſt above two hundred and ſixty Gentlemen at the Ordinaries. The Town was ſo crowded, that great Numbers were obliged to retire to Tamworth for Beds and Stables. There were Balls each Night at the Guildhall, at which were preſent 169 Gentlemen, and 120 Ladies, Subſcribers. Never was a more ſplendid or numerous Appearance, not a more regular and decent Behaviour than was obſerved by all Ranks of People during the Time of the Races. The Tueſday's Plate was won by Borlace Warren, Eſq; and the Freeholder's Plate by Lord Ward.

N. B. Sir John Aſtley and Sir Lifter Holte were choſen Stewards for the enſuing Year, and a larger Subſcription was made than ever was known on the like Occaſion. At the ſame Meeting was held a Board of the Loyal Brotherhood, at which fifteen Brethren attended.

Thurſday.

On Tueſday Evening as ſome Lads were at Play on the Terrace in St James's-Sreet, one of them (the Son of Mr. M'Cane, a Maſter Taylor) ran up a Ladder which ſtood againſt a Houſe that was repairing, but falling down, he fractured his Skull, and died in a few Hours.

On Monday Night a Man who lived in Nottingham-Court at the Seven Dials, being in a Fever, in the Abſence of his Wife threw himſelf out of a Two-pair of Stairs Window, whereby he broke his Back, and otherwiſe ſo bruiſed himſelf, that it is thought he cannot recover.

On Sunday in the Afternoon a young Man was found floating in Hackney-River with a Handkerchief tied over his right Eye, and naked, ſuppoſed to have been drowned in bathing himſelf.

Tueſday Morning as a Higgler's Waggon was going along Oxford Road, St. Giles's, in his Way to Uxbridge, the Axle-Tree broke down, by which Accident a poor Counrry Woman, who was in it, broke her Arm.

There is Advice from Newfoundland, that on the 25th of May in the Night, a Fiſherman having drank too freely, left a Candle burning when he went to ſleep, which ſet his Cabbin on Fire; and the Sparks falling on the Buildings contiguous to it, moſt of the Houſes and Store-houſes near the Water-ſide were deſtroyed, with the Merchandize, &c. to the Amount of 80,000l.

Monday laſt James Indley, a Ship-Carpenter, went to the Sign of the Duke of Cumberland, a Publick Houſe near the Hermitage, and called for a Pint of Beer; but while it was drawing, he was ſeized with an Apopleſtick Fit, and expired inſtantly.

On Tuſday laſt as a Sailor was ſtepping careleſsly out of a Veſſel near Deptford into a ſmall Skiff, he ſlipped off the Gunnel, and falling into the River was drowned. ib.

Friday.

Notwithſtanding the Publick have been amuſed with ſtated Times for the Duke's Departure, yet we can, from very good Authority, aſſure our Readers, that his going is, at preſent, uncertain. W. E.

By a Gentleman from Bath, we have an Account, that on Monday laſt the Lord Biſhop of London lay at the Point of Death; and this Day it was reported that his Lordſhip is dead. ib.

Yeſterday it was ſaid, that there is a certain Account come of the Death of his Grace the Duke of Somerſet. ib.

Yeſterday died at Fulham, the Lady of the late Colonel Duncomb. ib.

Yeſterday a Perſon was committed to the Compter by the Right Hon. the Lord-Mayor, on a ſtrong Suſpicion of filing Guineas, Moidores, and Thirty-ſix Shilling Pieces. Strict Search was immediately made after two other Perſons, ſaid to be concerned with him, who lived in a Court not far from Saliſbury Court in Fleetſtreet, but they had wiſely withdrawn. ib.

Extract of a Letter from Goſport, *Sept.* 7.

'On Friday the Officers and Company of his Ma-
'jeſty's Ship the Kent were paid their Prize-Money, for
'taking the St. Domingo Fleet on board the ſaid Ship
'in the Harbour: It amounted to upwards of Twenty-
'five Pounds each Foremaſt Man: And on Saturday the
'ſaid Officers and Ship's Company were paid their Prize-
'Money, for taking the Concord, which was Nineteen
'Shillings and Sixpence each Foremaſt Man.'

We hear that Letters are arrived in Town from on board the Egbaſton Indiaman at the Cape of Good Hope, with the Account that the Dorington, Edgecote, Fort St. George, and Lincoln Indiamen, and the aforeſaid Ship, all join'd Admiral Boſcawen at the Cape the 14th of April laſt; theſe Ships were ſeparated from the Admiral's Fleet by a Storm, and were miſſing when the laſt Letters, dated the 10th of April, came from thence. D. A.

On Wedneſday Night laſt his Royal Highneſs the Duke of Cumberland, with Lord Bury, and ſeveral other Perſons of Diſtinction, were at Marybon-Gardens: His Royal Highneſs was there alſo laſt Night. ib.

Yeſterday Morning Charles Kent, Eſq; of Windſor, was married to Mrs Lambert, Relict of Henry Lambert, Eſq; of Datchet. ib.

On Wedneſday in the Afternoon a Galley going for Woolwich, in which were ſeveral Sailors on a Party of Pleaſure, ſunk, thro' the Obſtinacy of one of them, and ſome of them were drowned. ib.

Yeſterday Morning an elderly Man in a Jacket, ſuppos'd to be about ſixty Years old, was found dead, with ſeveral Marks of Violence about him, in Ratcliff Highway. ib.

Wedneſday in the Afternoon a Sailor ſwimming in a Pond near Tottenham-Court, was drown'd in Sight of Numbers of People. ib.

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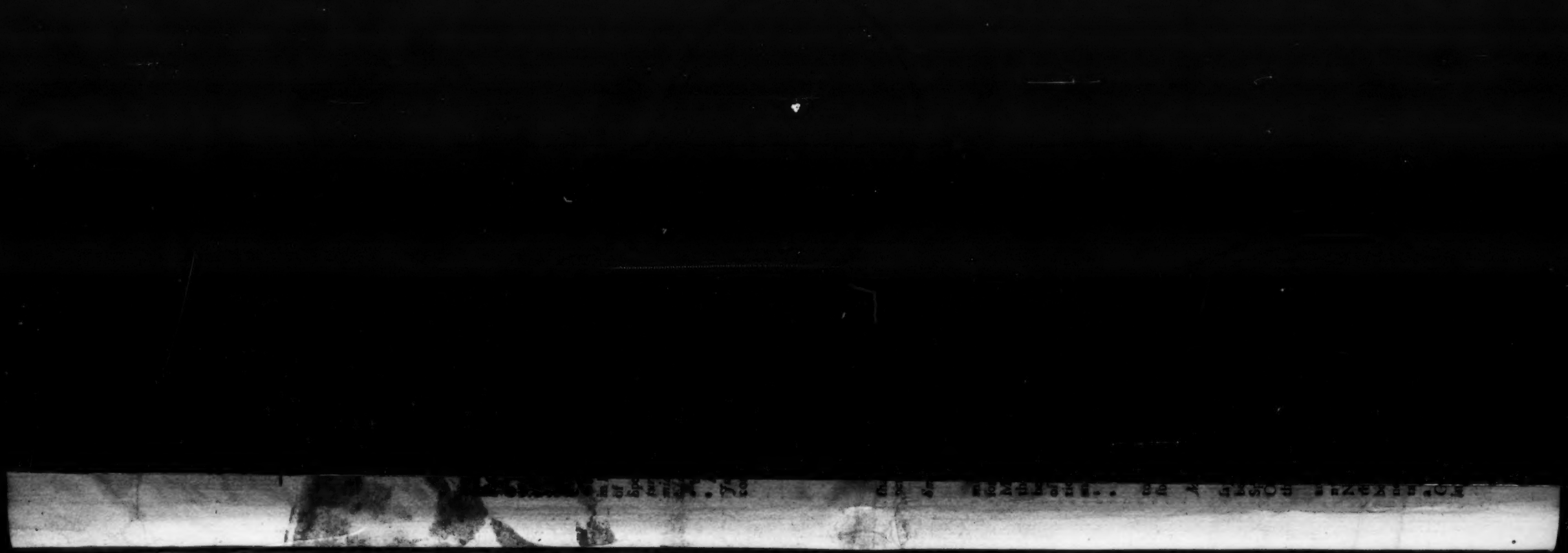
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